

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY STATE OF ILLINOIS

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INSPECTION REPORT - SITE INVENTORY NO. 16312109

E.P.A. - D.L.P.C.
STATE OF ILLINOIS

Date 062282

Letter Sent (Yes or No) No

Weather 82° S. Windy

Inspector J P E

St. Clair

CO. - L.P.C.

Region Southern

Sauget

T.W.I

(Location)

(Responsible Party)

Samples Taken: Yes () No (X)

Time: From 02:15 P.M.

Ground Water () Surface () Other ()

To 02:45 P.M.

Photos Taken: Yes (3) No ()

Interviewed Vaughn Meiske

Inspector J P E

Previous Inspection 5-2-82

Previous Correspondence

Site Open: Yes (X) No ()

OPERATIONAL STATUS:

TYPE OF OPERATION:

AUTHORIZATION:

Operating (X)

Landfill ()

Storage ()

E.P.A. Permit (X)

Temporarily Closed ()

Random Dump ()

Salvage ()

Variance ()

Closed Not Covered ()

Other Incinerator (X)

A.C.D. ()

21(e) ()

Closed and Covered ()

Quantity Received Daily (1-5) 2

(30)

Board Order ()

Illegal (5) ()

(31)

IMPROVED

SAME

DETERIORATED

I (S) or D S

(62)

GENERAL REMARKS:

Jack Spencer and J.P. Evans met with Vaughn Meiske at the site, to discuss the recent accident involving three workers being overcome by chemicals. Apparently 3 workers mishandled the chemical PARANITRANILINE, resulting in the workers absorbing the chemical via skin absorption & inhalation. All three were hospitalized, however they are all released with a "clean bill of health" at this time.

Also a quick inventory was taken of wastes on site included:

INTERVIEW: which was approx 1500 drums (55 gallons); 8 to 10 skids of a variety of small boxes of "Nail polish Remover" & Erythromycin. This material contained in the "skids" had no label as to "haz materials". According to T.W.I. we also noticed the 6 ft buffer zone between drum storage area and Bliss's tanks has decreased to 4 ft.

On 6-23-82 J. Evans talked with Jack McCoy (via telephone) regarding the eviction noticed served by Clayton Chemical to

DIAGRAM:

T.W.I. According to the notice T.W.I. is to have ceased operation and to vacate the premises by July 21, 1982. However J. McCoy stated that the Attorney's (for both parties) were meeting at this time (6-22-82) to discuss a 5 month withdrawal by T.W.I. from the site. J. McCoy stated that he being grant that 5 month withdrawal they can then prepare and set up to be operational in a new area of Sauget. Apparently T.W.I. has a option on 20 acres in Sauget if permitted. At this time Rapp & Associates are working on the new plans. A closure plan is required 180 days in advance which has not been received. Although T.W.I. has been made aware of this requirement as of 6-23-82.

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Clayton Chemical Co.

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E.P.A. — D.L.P.C.
STATE OF ILLINOIS

June 16, 1982

CERTIFIED MAIL

Trade Waste Incineration, Inc.
#1 Mobile Drive
Sauget, IL 62201

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Reference is made to the agreement entered into on December 10, 1979, between our two companies.

Clayton Chemical has been advised that workers at your plant site on Mobile Drive in Sauget, Illinois, have been hospitalized after being exposed to a toxic chemical. This news appeared in the newspaper yesterday.

Clayton Chemical Company, relying on its rights under the aforementioned written agreement, hereby serves notice upon Trade Waste Incineration, Inc., that Clayton Chemical Co. terminates the agreement between the two companies and serves upon you a 30-day written notice to begin June 21, 1982 for a period of 30 days.

Clayton Chemical directs you to cease operation and to vacate the premises on or before July 21, 1982.

Very truly yours,

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